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**Winter
Commencement
March, 1977**

**UNIVERSITY OF
NORTH FLORIDA**



**The University of North Florida
Winter Commencement Exercises
Tuesday, March Twenty-second
Nineteen Hundred Seventy-seven
seven o' clock in the evening
in the
Sandalwood Senior High School
Auditorium**

PROGRAM

The University of North Florida
Commencement Exercises

March 22, 1977
Sandalwood Senior High School

Academic Procession—6:55 p.m.
Commencement Program—7:00 p.m.

Roy Leland Lassiter, Jr., Ph.D. Vice President
and Dean of Faculties of the University

Presiding

Processional

National Anthem Donald Ray Edwards, Jr.,
Baritone, Class of 1977

Invocation Johnny Lester Arnette, Ed.D.,
Associate Dean of Students

Welcome Vice President Lassiter

Nomination for the Distinguished Service

Medallion and Citation George Wesley Corrick,
Ed.D., Vice President of University Relations

Nominated for the award of

*Ellis Floyd White, Ed.D.,
Dean Emeritus of the College of Education and
Professor of Education*

Presentation of the Medallion
and Citation Vice President Lassiter

Recognition of Fall Quarter
(December 1976) Graduates . . Vice President Lassiter

Presentation of the 1977 March
Baccalaureate Degree Candidates William Louis
Wharton, Ed.D., Associate Dean of Faculties

Candidates presented by

Willard Osborne Ash, Ph.D., Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

James Milton Parrish, Ph.D., Dean
College of Business Administration

Andrew Adolphus Robinson, Ed.D., Dean
College of Education

Adam Eugene Darm, Ed.D., Chairperson
Division of Technologies

Conferring of the
Baccalaureate Degrees Vice President Lassiter

Presentation of the 1977 March
Master's Degree Candidates Dean Wharton

Candidates presented by
the Dean of the College of Business Administration,
the Dean of the College of Education,
and the Associate Dean of Faculties

Conferring of the
Master's Degrees Vice President Lassiter

Concluding Remarks Vice President Lassiter

Benediction Dean Arnette

*A Reception for Graduates,
their families and friends will follow
immediately at the conclusion
of the exercises
in Room 136
hosted by the Division of Student Affairs*

Baccalaureate degree candidates will be introduced to the audience by Darwin O. Coy, Ph.D., Dean of Students; master's degree candidates by Robert Lenton Mitchell, Ph.D., Dean of Continuing Education and Community Services.

Master's degree candidates will be individually hooded by George Wesley Corrick, Ed.D., Vice President of University Relations, and Jim Carlton Haywood, M.Acc., Vice President of Administrative Affairs.

GRADUATES AND DEGREE CANDIDATES

Fall Quarter Graduates (Graduates December 1976)

Bachelor of Arts, College of Arts and Sciences

Nathan Lee Anspach	Judith Elaine King
Margaret June Applen	Walter David Kirk
Mary Elizabeth Benson	Martha Johnson Land
Kline M. Bentley	Mary Elizabeth Land
John Stephen Boberg	Howard Eugene Likins III
Michael T. Bruce	Martha Jane Salah Lyons
Susan Dianna Burl	David Leigh Manning
Frances Celina Butler	Berry Thomas McDuffie
Jacqueline Mostilla Calvin	William Leigh Meux III
Eldridge Kenneth Carpenter	Anthony Peter Miliusis III
Patrick William Chapman	Lorraine Walker Montanye
Jonquelyne Fayette Church	Stephen Glenn Parrish
Veronica Anne Coleman	Leonard G. Pease III
Eva Christine Connors	Roger Dwight Platt
Charles Wesley Cowser	Terrell Richard Quarterman
Marcus Lynn Crenshaw	Pamela E. Rich
Brett Thomas Devoe	Andrew B. Ritter
Phyllis Jeannene Dupre	Kenneth Merle Roach
Jean Ann Fanella	Timothy L. Roach
Christine Lee Forson	Carroll Edmon Robinson
Jeff D. Frost III	James Thornton Royal
John Andrew Griffith III	Carl A. Scott II
Carmen Loomis Harrison	Ellen Ruby Smith
Joseph Nathaniel Henry	James C. Sparkman, Jr.
Myra Jo Johnson	Charles McManus Stevens
Kenneth G. Johnstone	Cynthia Diane Thomas
Marsha C. Jonsson	Henry Wallace Tipton
Burt C. Jordan	James R. Walker, Jr.
Kay G. Kerlin	Charles George Wickless, Jr.

Bachelor of Business Administration, College of Business Administration

Alan Sherwood Abis	John Jeffrey Denmark
John L. Allen, Jr.	Patricia Ann Dommer
Bonnie L. Bemby	Gary Alan Finklea
Brian Michael Blue	Kevin Allan Foster
Michael Judah Bono	James Ray Glover
Lon E. Brugh	Steven Jackson Gordon
Gregory Brent Buckley	Sheldon Wayne Green
Edwin George Burrow	Sarah Hill
Jeffrey Baldwin Callender	Jack Donald Horner
Paul J. Camp	David William Hotchkiss
Richard Francis Carlberg	William Reginald Howell
James Ellis Cushion	John Wayne Lewis
Robert Redelle Darden	Raymond Lee Lewis

Charles Edward Losey
David Adams Lowe
Barbara Marie McKinzie
Caryl Lord McLearn
Donald E. Moore
Jeffrey Lee Nelson
Carol Mellon Newman
Harry G. Norris
Rodney John Peckham
Roy Ralph Petree

Rebecca Lois Larson Petryk
Michael Kenneth Plummer
Samuel Junius Rogers
Bruce Franklin Tinney
Edgar Paul Trapnell
Dean Howard Treible
William Ray Weber
Philip Thomas White
Edward M. Wilcox
Sandra Perkins Woods
Robert Carl William Young

Bachelor of Arts in Education, College of Education

Marjean Hidalgo Abboud
Marie Concetta Adcox
Frieda Jane Akel
Debra P. Alvarez
Shirley Anne Begley
Sharon Lynne Broderick
Mark Bullard
Jack Frank Bullington
Charlene Barrow Catlett
Thomas Wharton Chew
Madeline K. Chitko
Rosemary Elizabeth Clifton
Charles Wayne Coleman
Sharon Stone Croasdell
Joan Diane Denny
Sara Eline Diamond
Karen L. Dorsey
Marsha Gail Fredrick
Raymond Noel Garner
Katherine Pajcic Geiger
Barbara Carolyn Wood Grace
Judith D. Gray
Pamela Anderson Hall
Robert L. Hanks
Paula B. Hardin
Jill Ann Johnson

Deanna McAllister Jones
Nancy Carol LaMarche
Maria Lazos
Rebecca Ellington Lockhart
Gregory Lee Lohman
Carol Lukaszewski
Gary E. Lyon, Sr.
Shirley Weedman Masters
Elaine Marie McLaughlin
William George McAuley
Allen B. Miller
Glenda Barber Morris
David Arad Newsom
Susan H. Nolan
George Thomas Perry
Pansy Denise Peters
Susan Bennett Poore
Cheryl Wallace Qualls
Romelia L. Rodriquez
Anne Logue Sulzbacher
Betty Anne Titshaw
Cheryl Lynne Tynes
C. Craig Vial
Clayton Guy Williams
Virginia Louise Williamson
Orland W. Yunker

Bachelor of Technology, Division of Technologies

Timothy Joe Morrison
Sidney Dennis Rousseau
Roger Brooks Sayre
James Dean Williams

Master of Business Administration, College of Business Administration

John W. Alexander
Donald Herschel Barnes
Michael Edward Bonner
James Jay Cox
Charles D. Federico
Halsey Robert Fischer
James V. Hall
John Vincent Hart
Albert Ralph Hensley

Masamitsu Hidaka
William Allen Ingram
Scott Howard Long
James L. McDonald
Gerald Stephan Medlock
Charles Wendel Plummer
Richard Edward Tiede, Jr.
Clark Walter Toole III
James A. Wall
Charles J. Wright III

Master of Education, College of Education

Lynda Lee Boring
Bobby Joe Carmichael
Gerri Vasone Cascella
James Roger Coffee
Larry Ralph Ferkel
Terry Lea Ferrone
Judy Y. Gerstman
Mary Margaret Hughes
Mary Ann Thomas Innis
Gwendolyn Marie Jones
Marilyn Mason Kerr
Lois Sachs Markowitz
William Robert McLin, Jr.

Rowena M. Moge
Yolanda Mary Perusse
Nancy Fooks Phillips
David Kenneth Ressler
Charlotte E. Thames
Gertrude Lacey Thornton
Carole Proctor Tolbert
Linda Kirk Turner
Ernest Velazquez
Dan W. Waller
Lenora Webster
Roberta Evans Willis
Maureen K. Yelverton

Master of Arts in Counseling, College of Arts and Sciences

Diane Lynn Denslow
Virginia B. Edwards
Eloise McKnight Fells

Gerald Lee Gamache
Muriel C. Goldman
Richard Gaston Salter

Master of Arts in Counseling, College of Education

Cameron L. Hall
Juanita J. Law

Irene Kohut Roberts
Cynthia Ann Teague
Janice S. Vittum

Candidates for the Baccalaureate Degree (March 1977)

Bachelor of Arts, College of Arts and Sciences

Doris Tomkins Baker	Marjorie Ann Jenks
Catherine Schwabedissen Bell	Bonnie Johnson Kirkland
Marian Piazzon Birdsall	Karen Scowden Kuhlmann
Donna Jean Blake	Catherine Helen Kuttas
Sharon Arlene Boucher	Ronald Raymond Kuyath
Peter M. Brandvold	* Edward Joseph Leonard
Susan Frances Ansbro Cakmis	Edward M. Lovejoy
Elizabeth Ellen Carlson	Mary Lou Mandell
Linda Carmichael	Sylvia Simpson McQuaig
Rex Ace Caswell	Mary Elizabeth Moore
Patricia A. Clare	Owen Edward Norman, Jr.
Jeanette S. Cole	* Michael Scott O'Neal
Glen Randal Colville	William F. Papke
Lisa Marie Corley	Peggy J. Rabun
Gary Stephen Cox	Lilia Elizabeth Richards
Sharon Yvonne Crane	Gale Richardson
Marguerite Sessions Cromwell	Robert Allan Richardson
William Darty, Jr.	John Franklin Riebsame
Mark Richard Dearing	James Joseph Rinaldi
Cecilia Annedith Dew	Joseph Mathias Roland
* Andrew L. Edwards	Juan Jose Sala-Diaz
Russell D. Ellis	Donna Lynn Self
Barry Jefferson Enzor	Barbara Wilson Simpson
Melvin Douglas Franklin	Naomi Marie Slinkman
David Stockwell Gardner	Vanessa Janice Starling
Collier Edward Griffis	Elizabeth L. Sulik
William Woodrow Hare	Charles Michael Sunderland
Cheri Lee Hartleigh	Rouline Elaine Tooten
Judson Dane Hiers	William Bradford Watt
Louise Howard Hillegass	Edward Lawrence Weinberg
Ronald Gene Horne	Kathy Elaine Wells
Nina Dock Hunter	* Lawrence Patrick Williams
Gary Lynn Husk	Carl Edward Wolfbrandt
* TIMOTHY DALE DURBEN	* GARY BRUCE LESIEGE
Bachelor of Business Administration	* BELVA VAUGHN OGIER
College of Business Administration	* TRINA L. WHARTON

Barbara K. Anderson
Jack Edward Ashcroft
Jeffrey Michael Birchland
~~Faye Humphries Bradley~~
James Ellis Brown
Gregory Lee Caldwell
James Martin Callender, Jr.
James Albert Cline
Robert Cravey
Angela Margaret Eakin
Karen O'Gieblyn Esson

John Durwood Farmer III
Robert Bruce Field
Ronnie Eugene Fritz
~~Michael M. Garrett~~
~~Michael O. Gibson~~
James Lee Grizzard
Maher Mohamed Haram
~~Zaher Taher Haram~~
~~Michael Louis Hawarah~~
Sidney Daniel Haynes
~~Billy Gerald Heister~~

Henry Milburn Isaacs
~~Donna Rae Johnson~~
 Kathryn Ann Kassees
 Michael David Lee
 Steven Eugene Lehr
 Vernon Richard Logan
~~Frank Edward Luksha, Jr.~~
 Maurice James McKernan
 A.W. Miller III
 Judith Fussell Mixon
 Luis Alberto Morales
 Edwin James Ollie
 Judy Diane Peacock
 Jorge Perez
 Timothy John Poirrier
 Shawn Ripley Pound
 Raul Gonzalo Quijano
 Ronald Lyn Rice

Theodore Glen Roessner
 Daniel P. Rooney
 Gloria C. Russeaw
 Wayne Edward Sandberg
~~John David Shanard~~
 Robert Brian Shenkman
 Timothy William Sullivan
 John Elmo Thorsen III
 Ronald Bruce Traner
 Gary A. Vreeland
 Ira Steven Wadler
 Nicholas C. Ware
 George Philip Watkiss
 Robert Charles Wilkins
 Sheree Storey Williams
~~Dennis Melvin Young~~
 Jerry L. Young

Bachelor of Arts in Education, College of Education

Mary H. Akel
 Babara Ann Ansley
 Susan Cadwallader Battle
 Mary Ann Blackwell
 Carole Ann Burk
 Marjorie Lee Butler
~~Brenda Kay Cain~~
 Pamela Jane Cangelosi
~~Margaret Pace Chancey~~
 John Frederick Claxton
 Lanta Brewer Craig
 Valeria B. Dennard
 Mona Lee Moore Douglas
 Cynthia Hampton Edwards
 Gay Rodrigues Edwards
 Nancy Caseale Elerby
 Theresa Lorene Everill
 Janice Lynette Fischer
~~Gloria Jean Fowler~~
 Susan Lane Fuqua
 Carolyn Montgomery Galphin
 Kristine Ann Hoylen Geddings
 Jean Tillotson Gray
 Charlene L. Hanser
 Gail P. Hedstrom
~~Teresa Ann Helminger~~
 Frances Yeargan Hitchens
 Carol Laurente Inmon
 Sharon Ann Joest
 Valerie Anne Jordan
 * Sharon Lynn Allen

Mary Louise Kelly
 Gary Wayne Kimball
 Dennis John Langevin
 Susan Bissonnette Lauzon
 Jessie Lias Lockett
~~Harry McKay~~
 Janice Wesley Merritt
 Sylvia Danese Moore
 Ricky L. Moyer
 Doris H. Priester
 Sharon Ann Queen
 Richard Thomas Ramsay, Sr.
~~Connie Sue Rayl~~
 Mark Eugene Renfroe
 Barbara Moore Riley
 Marva Jean Sampson
 Barbara M. Schellhase
~~John Thomas Schoeller~~
 Diane Mooney Seifert
~~Roy H. Smith, Jr.~~
 Denise W. Soles
 Jane Ann Spaeth
 Chriss Lee Spires
 Patricia Ann Gatton Stanton
 Myrtia Ozenia Bush Stroy
 Diane Elaine Thomas
 Beverly Kim Warwick
~~Trina L. Wharton~~
 Sandra Jean Wilfong
 Cynthia L. Wood

Bachelor of Technology, Division of Technologies

John Franklyn Nagel

Candidates for the Master's Degree (March 1977)

Master of Business Administration, College of Business Administration

Ronald Arthur Anderson
Porter Jones Chandler, Jr.
Erroll Walker Dotson
James Housley Furman
Clements Latimer Harper III
Ghasem A. Hasani
Keith John Jegglie

~~Robert Curtis Leslie~~
Lowell P. McClanahan
Mary Stift Meldrum
Bjarne W. Nielsen
*Thamir M. Salih
~~Gary Louis Wagner~~
Franklin Wertman, Jr.
*NORMAN CARL REIMER

Master of Education, College of Education

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~~Russell M. Aldred~~
~~Donnese G. Anthony~~
Virginia M. Bishop
Sarah Monroe Bowers
Marion Elizabeth Brinson Bunn
Sean Patrick Casey
Gerald Stuart Chafetz
Roy Lewis Cook
Sue E. Gibson
Mary Gilley Grayson
Nancy Moore Hardie
Alicia Nielsen Holloway
Erdine Johnson
Alfred Lloyd Jones, Jr.
~~Suzanne Marie Kirkwood~~
Nancy Ellen Kuester
*Warren L. Lewis
Marcia Lynette MacFarland

Marilyn Elizabeth Miller
Linda Susan Osborne
Earlene Kendrick Perry
Rebecca Powell Peters
Alice Horn Pinyan
~~Carol J. Prosser~~
Robert Vernon Rawls
Albert C. Richter
John Thomas Ryan
Kathleen Marie Schlobohm
Harold Luther Stansel
Ethel Myers Stanton
Ann King Stone
Myrna Andenna Strain
Constance Jane Turner
James L. Welu
~~Mary Susan Wood~~
~~Judith Bischoff Youngblood~~

* ~~AUGUSTA ANN BERG~~ Master of Arts in Counseling, College of Arts and Sciences

Delmas Lamar Baker
Marilyn Martin Comee
Mimi Stockover Hull

Linda S. Labell
Kathleen Clements Lee
Donna Cheek Zahra

Master of Arts in Counseling, College of Business Administration

~~Larry J. Weas~~

Master of Arts in Counseling, College of Education

Frank Melcher McLinn

THE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

The commencement ceremony as we know it today has its roots in the academic traditions and heritage passed on by European universities of the 14th century.

While the ceremony itself has been modified to conform with more modern times, the academic dress of faculty and graduates still carries the vestiges of medieval times.

The cut of the academic cap and gown has an ancient significance. Once the symbol of rank or class, it today represents tradition and achievement. The cap, now a flat "mortar board," once was soft, full and draped. The robes reflect the everyday dress of the Middle Ages.

Today's graduates and faculty fall into three categories as far as gowns are concerned. The bachelor's degree candidate or graduate wears a robe with long, open sleeves, but without a distinctive hood. The master's degree candidate or graduate wears a robe with long, closed sleeves, the sleeves being slit near the upper part of the arm to accommodate hand movement. This candidate also wears an abbreviated hood lined in satin with the colors of the degree granting institution and edged in velvet with a color which signifies the discipline in which the degree was earned.

Faculty members holding doctoral degrees wear robes with round, open sleeves, ornamented with black velvet. While doctoral robes normally are black, many have been specifically designed in various color schemes by the granting institution or by the degree recipient. The doctoral hood is larger than the master's, but the color scheme is identical to that worn by the master's candidate.

At the University of North Florida, baccalaureate degree candidates wear a modified gown, reflecting the University's colors, light blue and white. These colors also are carried on the master's hoods and are represented in the gowns worn by commencement marshalls.

A 14th century writer observed that the University of Paris was the first institution to assign distinctive costumes and colors to its four faculties. The University of North Florida's three colleges now employ colors that were prescribed by the 1895 Intercollegiate Commission as representing those disciplines and carried over to our modern day. The College of Arts and Sciences, offering the Bachelor of Arts degree, is signified by a white cap tassel. The College of Business Administration, offering the Bachelor of Business Administration degree, uses a drab, or light olive brown, tassel. The College of Education, offering the Bachelor of Arts in Education degree, uses the traditional light blue tassel. Master's degree candidates wear black tassels, with the discipline color reflected on the candidate's hood in velvet. Most doctoral holders wear gold tassels.

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA

The University of North Florida officially came into existence in 1965 when the Florida Legislature authorized the creation of a state university or branch of an existing state university in Jacksonville to meet the higher educational needs of the northeast Florida region. The Board of Regents of the State University System of Florida recognized that these needs could best be met by an institution which offered junior, senior, and graduate level programs, drawing its students primarily from the area's junior and community colleges.

In 1969, a 1,000-acre campus site midway between the beaches and downtown Jacksonville was donated by the City of Jacksonville and area landowners. In that same year, Dr. Thomas G. Carpenter was appointed President of the University. Guided by President Carpenter and a small staff, continued planning led to the development of programs, the selection of administrative staff members, and the appointment of departmental chairpersons and faculty members. During the summer of 1972, the faculty reported for duty and, on October 2, more than 2,000 students began classes on the newly opened campus.

The University's Charter Class students arrived on a campus consisting of four major buildings. During the subsequent four years, four additional buildings were added and occupied and, in its fifth year, UNF occupied yet another structure, bringing to nine the total number of major facilities on the campus.

Significant in the planning and construction of campus facilities has been UNF's dedication to the preservation of the environment in which it finds itself. The campus harbors numerous native plant and animal lifeforms, and every effort has been made to avoid disturbing the natural ecological balance that exists. To this end, the UNF campus has been designated as a wildlife preserve and bird sanctuary.

The University of North Florida is an institution committed to teaching and regards classroom instruction as the most important instrument in the educational process. The faculty has been appointed after exhaustive search to insure that only the most qualified candidates are brought to the University. Other learning experiences are incorporated into the academic programs to supplement and complement the classroom experience, such as the unique Leonardo da Vinci Venture Studies program which permits students to pursue liberal arts courses while specializing for a career.

The planning and work invested in the building of a strong, new University in northeast Florida was rewarded in December 1974,

when the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools granted full academic accreditation to the University of North Florida at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. As far as anyone knows, UNF is the first university in history to attain dual accreditation simultaneously at both undergraduate and graduate levels from the SACS.

More recently, the College of Business Administration was accorded accreditation at the undergraduate level by the American Association of Collegiate Schools of Business, the first upper-level program to be so honored. Within the business college, the Department of Transportation and Logistics has been designated as one of the first five State University System "Programs of Distinction" as a direct result of the Florida Legislature's emphasis of programs to serve the needs of the state.

The University also is committed to serving all segments of the state's population, while recognizing its primary geographic area of responsibility. It has not confined itself to a purely academic mission, but has moved out into the community to participate in the solution of problems confronting the community and its citizenry.

Totally resolved to the ideal of equal opportunity, the University enrolls and employs qualified persons regardless of race, creed, sex, age, limitation, or national origin.



THE SYMBOL

Two ancient devices -- the circle and the compass rose -- have been adopted and modified in creating a graphic symbol for the University of North Florida. The compass rose, long a direction-finding device for mariners, here symbolizes the University's role in providing direction for lives. The placement of the compass rose in the upper northeast quadrant of the circle describes the institution's upper division character and its location in the northeast of Florida. The circle itself signifies the community which the University is dedicated to serve.

The symbol was inspired by the University of North Florida seal, designed under the direction of President Thomas G. Carpenter. The seal will continue to be used on formal documents. The symbol, as a simpler representation of the seal, will be used in the University's publications and other communicative devices.

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